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**DECLARATION OF RUY GARCIA-ZAMOR, ESQUIRE
IN SUPPORT OF PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a)**

I, Ruy Garcia-Zamor, hereby declare and state as follows:

1. I am an attorney of record in the above-referenced patent application wherein Cryan Colm, Richard Strack, and Karim Tatah are named as joint inventors.
2. On October 13, 2004, a letter was forwarded via express mail to Mr. Cryan with the Declaration for Utility or Design Patent Application for the present application requesting that he sign and return the Declaration. A copy of the front of the non delivered package is attached as Exhibit A. No response was received from Mr. Cryan.
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